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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action dated August 29, 2005. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendment to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

Petition for Response is included with this response for one month.